

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the paragraph beginning at page 13, line 23 as follows:

Although the modified beta zeolite is the key component of this invention, the catalyst or catalyst support will generally comprise the modified zeolite intimately mixed with an acidic amorphous component and optimally a binder. The amorphous inorganic oxide can be chosen from the well known acidic oxides such as alumina, silica, titania, magnesia, zirconia, boria, phosphorous oxides along with combinations and the like. The composition of the catalyst support may contain from about 0.5 to 50 wt % modified zeolite beta preferably 1 to 30 wt % and more preferably 1 to 15 wt % ~~1 to 0.15 wt %~~ modified zeolite beta.

Please replace Table 4 with the following:

TABLE 4

<u>TEST RESULTS</u>					
Example	Feed	Selectivity to middle distillates 160-360° C.	> 360° C. Pour Point	Product Nitrogen	Product Sulphur
1	A	73.9%	0° C.	<1 wtppm	1 wtppm
2	A	73.5%	-1° C.	<1 wtppm	2 wtppm
3	A	69.2%	7° C.	<1 wtppm	4 wtppm
4	A	65.2%	7° C.	<1 wtppm	3 wtppm
5	A	69.4%			
6	A	69.4%			
7	A	66.6%			
8	A	62.5%			